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FOR FREE SILVER.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE Bimetallists.

ISSUE OF BONDS OPPOSED.

Improvement of National Waterways Desired—Silver Senators Congratulated.

St. Louis, Oct. 5.—The Pan American Bimetallic convention yesterday after listening to letters of regret from many eminent men finally got down to business and adopted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we demand the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the established ratio of 16 to 1, giving to such coin equal legal tender powers with gold.

Resolved, That we are unalterably opposed to the repeal of the so-called Sherman law, except by the passage of a law providing for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the established ratio of 16 to 1.

Resolved, That our representatives in congress instruct the chief executive to issue a call for an early convention of all nations interested in and favorable to the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, for the purpose of establishing closer commercial and financial relations with them.

Resolved, That the total amount of gold now in existence or capable of production under the stimulus of its increased value is totally inadequate to supply the demands of the world for money, and the adoption of the single gold standard will result in universal bankruptcy and ruin, and we declare that such act on the part of our government would be a flagrant violation of the constitution of the United States, in that it would impair all existing contracts and double the obligation of all debtors, and we declare it to be the duty of all patriotic citizens to resist in the courts and at the ballot box its adoption and enforcement if adopted.

Resolved, That we are opposed to the further issue of government bonds, and declare that the real purpose of the proposed issue of bonds is the perpetuation of the national banking system to which we are unalterably opposed, for the reason that it enables a few selfish individuals, at their pleasure, to contract or expand the volume of currency to the great injury of the masses; and we demand a financial system which will prevent the congestion of money in the financial center of the east.

Resolved, That we urge the speedy improvement by the national government of all the great waterways, and particularly those which drain the vast agricultural region of the south and west, and we invite the active co-operation of the great mercantile interests in securing the creation of more direct routes to the ocean in order that our products may reach the markets of the world at a minimum cost.

Resolved, That we send greetings to the representatives and senators in congress who have stood by their pledges made before election and are contending for the rights and interests of the people who elected them. We thank them in the name of American liberty, and we hold in undying contempt those who seek to betray us and make this country a financial dependency of Great Britain.

Attempt to Burn a Town.

MARTIN, Texas, October 5.—A dastardly attempt was made at an early hour last night to burn and rob the town of Lott, a small station on the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railway, situated in the eastern part of the county. Incendiaries set fire to a cottonseed house, containing about ten tons of seed, belonging to the Martin Oil company. Mouse and contents are a total loss.

While this was burning they entered the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railway depot and tried to compel the clerk to open the safe. He refused and they beat him over the head with their six-shooters till he was unconscious and then fled.

Tried to Take the Town.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kas., Oct. 5.—Last evening a gentleman arrived in this city from the new town of Blackwell, in the strip, and reports another attempt to take the town by force. The gang rode into the city last night, armed heavily, and commenced the

discharge of their guns. Volley after volley was fired in every direction as the gang rode through the streets. Fortunately, no one was injured. Col. Napp, of Iola, Kan., was sleeping on a cot in the tent with Col. Whiting. When the desperadoes came he had his clothes rolled up for a pillow. He was awakened by a bullet striking his pillow. This morning the colonel discovered there were twenty-four holes in his suit of clothes, made by bullets.

Amount of Money in Circulation.

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 5.—According to a treasury statement which has been issued by Secretary Carlisle the total amount of money in circulation in the United States October 1 was \$1,701,939,918. The average circulation per capita, estimating the population at 67,306,000, is, therefore, \$25.29. The net increase in circulation during September was \$21,377,247, the greatest item of increase being gold coin, viz., \$14,929,741.

FIRE AT BUTLER.

A Grocery and Drug Store Gone Up in Flames.

SPECIAL TO THE DEMOCRAT.

BUTLER, Mo., Oct. 5.—Mindrup's grocery store and Shy's drug store were burned at 2 o'clock this morning, under circumstances which point toward the work of an incendiary. The cause of the fire can not now be stated.

DIVISION POINT OF THE KATY

A Deal Consummated Locating Shops at Hillsboro, Tex.

DENISON, Tex., Oct. 5.—A big deal has been consummated by the Missouri, Kansas and Texas officials, Vice President Purdy and others, with citizens of Hillsboro, Tex., for the location of a Katy division terminus and shops. By agreement the Katy is to keep 300 men employed in the shops and make the city headquarters for division officials. The shops now at Alvarado, Tex., will be moved to Hillsboro, to remain there permanently. On the part of the city of Hillsboro 100 acres of land is to be deeded the company for the location. All papers were signed today.

Out of the Party.

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 5.—A red hot fight occurred in the state democratic convention last night between the administration democrats and the silver men. A most disorderly state of affairs existed for some time but finally quiet was restored. The galleries and administration democrats hooted Congressman Bryan off of the stage. The platform adopted endorsed Cleveland's views on everything. Congressman Bryan announced his withdrawal from the democratic party.

Grand and Petit Juries.

The county court this afternoon drew the following grand jury for the November term of the criminal court:

Louis Lower, J. L. Cartwright, J. M. Lee, C. C. Van Wagner, D. Blocher, F. J. McClure, R. E. Ferguson, C. B. Littlefield, J. R. Wallace, W. J. Manker, Chas. H. Hobericht, J. M. Offield.

The following petit jury was also selected: W. H. Glass, J. H. Morrison, J. S. White, R. T. Fleming, Cord Lugen, John B. Pace, J. D. Green, P. R. Aldredge, D. H. Norris, W. M. Berry, John Glenn, Samuel Arnett, John Shivel, R. E. Anderson, Fred Wilkins, Frank, Eastey, James M. West, C. M. Niles, J. S. Rittenour, Wm. Fowler, Fred Teubner, Geo. W. Cummings, M. Pearson, Elbert Dodge.

Five men were caught in the act of fixing wires in the rooms where the drawing of the Kentucky Lottery company takes place Monday night, and three of them were captured. They are telegraphers and thought to send out the result to confederates in other cities in time to beat the game.

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5-room house, 412 West 6th street.
7-room house, 407 East 6th street.
7-room house, 3d and Washington.
These houses will be rented at reasonable rates.

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DOCTORS IN SESSION

MEETING OF THE CENTRAL DISTRICT SOCIETY.

Only a Small Attendance of Members Acau From Sedalia—Dr. Evans Shows a Tumor.

The quarterly meeting of the Central District Medical society of Missouri was held at the court house in this city today, with only a fair attendance of out-of-town members. The district is composed of Lafayette, Saline, Morgan, Montebau, Pettis, Cooper, Johnson, Henry, Miller, Cole and Vernon counties, and there are about seventy-five members.

The following officers are present: Dr. J. H. Cox, Pilot Grove, president; Dr. E. C. Evans, Sedalia, vice president; Dr. H. L. Seales, Sedalia, secretary; and Dr. George H. Scott, Sedalia, treasurer.

The following out-of-town members are in attendance: Drs. J. H. Cox, Pilot Grove; W. H. Cooper, Booneville; H. W. Latham, Latham; J. L. Parish, Pleasant Green; G. W. Schwab, Beaman.

The society met in the criminal court room at 10:45, and, after the minutes of the previous meeting had been read and disposed of, Dr. Henry Evans, of this city exhibited a tumor he had taken, which was discussed at some length.

The society then took recess until 2 p. m., when routine work was taken up. The next meeting will be held at Sedalia three months hence.

Married Yesterday.

Dr. A. E. Monroe, a practicing physician of Ulrich, Mo., was married at 1 p. m. Wednesday to Miss Sarah Hill, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. S. Hunter, in California, Mo. They spent the night in Sedalia and left for Ulrich this forenoon.

Probate Court Adjourned.

Judge Hoy this afternoon adjourned the Pettis county probate court to court in course.

STOP HER.

Don't let her waste money in car fare going down town.

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A SUDDEN DEATH.

AN EX-SOLDIER SUCCEUMS TO HEART DISEASE.

William Wise, While at Work at His Trade, Dies Suddenly in the Presence of His Son.

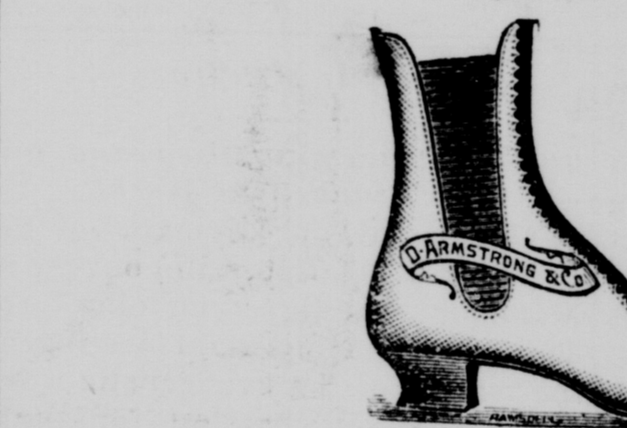
At 4:30 yesterday afternoon, William Wiese, a German carpenter, aged 69 years, fell dead from heart trouble, in the second story of his son's barber shop on West Second street. He was at work fitting up a bath room, and at the time he was attacked was standing by a low partition, driving a nail. Ernest Wiese was close by him, tacking some carpet on the floor. The elder Wiese dropped his hammer, and, speaking in German, called Ernest by name and told him to catch him. The son looked up and saw his father sinking to the floor. He was unable to stay the fall, and when he reached his father he found life extinct.

Undertaker Welsh was at once notified, and the body removed to the family residence, 108 East Pacific street. Drs. J. W. Ferguson and M. S. Collins were summoned, and held an autopsy, finding the heart greatly hypertrophied, causing rupture of one of the arteries. Death was instantaneous.

Mr. Wiese was a native of Germany, but had been many years in this country. He was a soldier in the late civil war, a member of George R. Smith post, Grand Army of the Republic, and drew a pension. The remains were taken in charge by a committee from the post, and will be buried at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, under the auspices of that organization. The post has been called to meet at 1 o'clock to do honor to its dead.

Mr. Wiese resided with his aged wife at 108 East Pacific. He has

SOMETHING NEW LADIES' CONGRESS BOOTS!



Wm. Courtney's

three sons, Ernest and Will, barbers, and Fred, a locomotive fireman on the Missouri Pacific.

The Lewis Murder Case.

MEXICO, Mo., Oct. 5.—The jury in the Lewis murder case was unable to agree, and was discharged after being out all night and all day. The jury stood seven for conviction and five for acquittal. Lewis, who killed his sweetheart's father, William Brown, will be released till next term of court on \$3000 bail.

Gone to Windsor.

Sollie Wolfe, of Wolfe's tailoring establishment, went to Windsor this morning on business for that firm.

Including his card, the mayor says:

"Before I am through with these parties I will convince the people of Moberly and Randolph county that I have not lied."
Serious trouble is expected to grow out of these charges.

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IMPEACHMENT PROCEEDINGS.

The Mayor of Moberly After the City Attorney—Sensational Charges.

MOBERLY, Mo., October 5.—Hon. Sam C. Major, of Fayette, arrived in the city yesterday and will formulate charges for Mayor Ragsdale against City Attorney Will A. Rothwell, on which impeachment proceedings will be instituted in a few days, or as soon as the charges are prepared. The grounds for the allegations against Attorney Rothwell are that he has not attended to his duty as city attorney.

At the council meeting Monday night the mayor and city attorney engaged in a war of words, and the attorney called the mayor a liar, to which the latter retorted, "You are another liar."

Mayor Ragsdale charged Rothwell in the council meeting the other night with being in "cahoots" with F. P. Wiley and A. H. Waller, of this city, and stated that the three were working against the interest of the city; that when a suit was brought against the city Wiley and Waller got the city attorney to

recommend a compromise, and that Rothwell would recommend a compromise whether it was in the interest of the city or not.

In the daily papers today Mayor Ragsdale publishes a card, in which he stated Wiley and Waller had collected \$750 of the county's money that they had not made any report of. He also charges Waller with wanting him (the mayor) to compromise a damage suit brought against the city for \$1000 by Emma Fairgrieve for \$2600, and that Waller promised to "cut" the amount with him. He makes several other charges against the attorneys.

In concluding his card, the mayor says:

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SAW LEW BAPTISTE.

The Wrestler Still in Kansas City, As Large as Life.

President Coby Bloch, of the Sedalia Athletic club, saw Lew Baptiste, the wrestler and "professor of physical culture," in Kansas City last night, but was not near enough to him to speak. He is of the opinion that Baptiste has been in Kansas City ever since he left here, and that the talk of a match with the Texas man is all talk.

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Official Paper of the City of Sedalia.

THE city authorities intend to see to it that the streets are no longer used as a race course.

St. JOSEPH wants a two hundred thousand dollar hotel. Sedalia will be satisfied with one costing half that amount.

THERE is a grave suspicion that Attorney General Olney is so interested in the debate now going on in the senate that he has forgotten all about the trusts.

THE Lexington News says it is not true that the Cleveland meeting in that city was only attended by thirty-five persons, and claims that there were really one hundred and seven present.

A FREE coinage paper wants to know why, if unconditional repeals are the proper thing, the president does not insist upon the repeal of the McKinley law before any other tariff legislation is considered.

It will only be a few weeks until the "road question" will supplant all others in the public mind. It is a shame that a great, rich, progressive state like Missouri does not have good road roads all through it.

THE natural seaport for the Mississippi valley would be located on the Gulf of Mexico. The great west and northwest should send its surplus to the markets of the world over the shortest and cheapest route.

MR. DUDE VAN ALLEN goes as minister to Italy. Does anybody believe he was appointed because of fitness for the place, or for any other reason than as a "recognition" of his generosity in giving \$50,000 to the campaign fund?

TRACED back to its origin, the rumor of an intention on Mr. Bland's part to bolt the democratic party will probably be found to have been started by some small-fry politician with congressional aspirations, and that the wish is further to the thought.

THE man with a saw and buck who, in the name of family, attacks a wood pile at one dollar a cord, says the Springfield Democrat, is a philosopher and patriot compared with the agitator who organizes calamity meetings, the only result of which is to add to prevailing confusion and unrest.

THE St. Louis Chronicle makes the point that the average gold price of an acre's product of corn, wheat, oats, hay and cotton—that is the average derived from the average of all of them—was \$15.64 in 1870 and only \$8.15 in 1893. Here is in part an explanation of hard times. Gold has appreciated in value as compared with other things.

COL. H. MARTIN WILLIAMS has gone all the gaits on politics, says the St. Joseph Gazette, and on Sunday last assisted in organizing a church in St. Louis, a go-as-you-please - all - wool - and - a-yard-wide-don't-give-a-cuss church. "Shoo Fly" was one of the sacred songs rendered on this occasion. In this church politics, labor question or any subject can be discussed.

SENATOR BLACKBURN, of Kentucky, yesterday made an eloquent plea for bimetalism and against the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law. Upon Senator Washburn interrupting him with the suggestion that unconditional repeal was the first step toward bimetalism, Senator Blackburn replied: "This is the

first time I ever heard decapitation of the patient recommended as a cure."

OUR eastern republican friends demand, under penalty of industrial disaster and business stagnation, that the gold standard shall be established, the tariff left as it is and the federal election laws be permitted to stand. They should give us some assurance that they will not end by demanding the offices. This point must be guarded; it is about all that would be left to the democrats of the country as a compensation for "sacrifices made" in 1892, should the other demands be granted.

ALL the Missouri train robbers are in prison, says the Jefferson City Tribune, and our law-officers have found time to bag a gang of Illinois highwaymen. With such a record there is little use in asking the legislature to make train robbing a capital offense. The law authorizes a punishment of twenty-five years' imprisonment in the penitentiary for such crimes, and twenty-five years is equal to a life sentence. No prisoner could possibly live to serve out the full time of such a sentence. The youthful bandits who hold up trains have a very inadequate idea of the terrible punishment they bring upon themselves.

THERE are business men and financiers in the west in every way the peers of any in the world, and this section should be able to do its business direct with Europe. If foreign capital is needed it should come through our home investment companies instead of at second hand from New York and New England. The west and the south may not be able to secure free coinage of silver or a fair and liberal recognition of their securities as banking capital for some years yet, but they can get something very nearly as good by standing together and letting their wants and resources be known. As soon as foreign nations learn that New England guardianship over us is ended they will be ready and willing to transact business directly with us.

THE Kansas City Journal in defending the democrats on the Missouri delegation from the attacks of the Times and Post-Dispatch says: "The repeal of the Sherman law is not the issue that is before congress. There is not a newspaper publisher or editor in the state so witless as to suppose it is so. No honest writer, whether he be writing his own sentiments or merely acting as an amanuensis for some opinionated employer who is unable to write for himself, will say that the proposition before the senate means anything but gold monometallism. The democratic platform calls for the free coinage of silver and for bimetalism. Missouri has fourteen representatives in congress who stand by the demands of their party platform, while they are being systematically and villainously misrepresented and maligned by their party newspapers at home. To say this much is due them from a party opponent as a matter of common decency."

The Work of the Trust.

From the Post-Dispatch.
The claim made in behalf of the sugar trust that the financial stringency caused wholesalers to reduce their orders and thus necessitate the closing of refineries does not justify the present stringency of sugar. The demand has not fallen off. There is a market for all the product of the southern refineries, but they have not been reopened. The only conclusion is that the trust takes advantage of the situation to produce a scarcity and raise prices.

Work for the Unemployed.

From the Kansas City Star.
The question of giving unemployed men work during the winter is being discussed in many cities. The city engineer of Des Moines has submitted plans for public work amounting to 1/4 million dollars, and the council is considering the possibility of prosecuting the work through the winter season. It is a matter that needs careful consideration in every case that comes up.

Back to Sedalia.

Emanuel Wolfe will leave Wednesday morning for Sedalia where he has accepted a position with the St. Louis Clothing Co. May he thrive wherever he goes!—Marshall Democrat-News.

Mr. Wolfe is an excellent gentleman, as well as an experienced business man, and his many friends most cordially welcome him back to the Queen City.

AMUSEMENTS.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10.

Mr. Frank Murphy

—IN—

"A Striking

Resemblance."

"Don't you know me? I am

Baldy Brancgan."

GRAND LODGE MEETING.

Annual Convention of the Knights of Pythias of Missouri.

The twenty-third session of the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias and the annual session of the Missouri Brigade uniform rank of the order will be held in St. Louis, beginning Tuesday, October 17, and running through until Friday. It is thought that from 3,000 to 5,000 Pythians will be attracted to the city.

The session of the Missouri Brigade, uniform rank, will begin Monday evening, October 16, at Central Turner hall.

On Tuesday afternoon, a grand street parade will be given, in which at least 800 uniformed Knights are expected to participate. A competitive drill of the divisions will be conducted on Wednesday, at New Sportsman's park, in which \$1,000 is offered in prizes to the best drilled divisions.

On Tuesday, October 17, the grand lodge will begin its session in Masonic hall. The body is composed of 345 representatives, ten grand lodge officers and twenty-one past grand chancellors, and will be presided over by George C. R. Waggoner, the retiring grand chancellor. The committee consisting of Hon. T. M. Rice, of Boonville, Will H. Wright, of Webb City, and Stanley B. Walker, of Higginsville, appointed at the last session to consider the advisability of establishing a Pythian home at some point in the state similar to the Masonic home of Missouri, will make its report. This session will be the largest one ever held by the grand lodge. The order has been growing rapidly, and now numbers about 20,000 members in the state, comprising 241 lodges, of which number twenty-eight are in St. Louis.

The two Sedalia lodges will be represented by six representatives—three from each lodge, and by Past Grand Chancellor and Supreme Representative W. A. Radcliffe and by Master-at-Arms A. W. McKenzie, both members of Queen City lodge.

Dr. I. T. Bronson, a representative from Sedalia lodge, and a member of the grand lodge committee on credentials, will be pushed for a grand lodge office, perhaps grand chancellor, if such action does not appear to interfere with the re-election of Mr. Radcliffe as supreme representative.

How to Stop Lynchings.

From the Post-Dispatch.
Bishop A. G. Haygood hits the nail on the head in an article on negro lynching in the October Forum. "Unless potent influences can be brought to bear upon the negro race that will awaken it to the enormity of assaulting white women," he writes, "the worst for both races is yet to come, and the most dreadful chapters in this sad and fearful history are yet to be written." In other words, unless the negroes themselves stop outrages the whites cannot stop lynchings. The blacks have the matter in their own hands.

Bank and Record Broken.

From the Marshall Democrat-News.
The St. Clair county bank at Osceola, Mo., broke all records in its failure Monday. Its liabilities were \$225,000, while its available assets were but \$1,600. There were evidently some Napoleons of finance connected therewith.

Didn't Have a Gun.

From the Kansas City Journal.
A Kansas City reporter discovered Governor Waite, Governor Hogg, Governor Lewelling and Mrs. Lease in the vicinity of the union depot, all in one covey. What strange sights we see when we don't have a gun.

Prudent Missourians.

From the Springfield Leader.
A man in Washington was instantly killed yesterday for refusing to accept a drink. Missourians understand the dangers of such a refusal and therefore have no trouble in that direction.

Married a Negro.

MARSHALL, Ill., Oct. 5.—Alex. Ferguson, a coal black negro of not very prepossessing appearance, and Lizzie Beckle, a rather comely white girl, were married yesterday. Both are from Green county, Ind., he hailing from Greencastle and she from Rosedale.

HEADS I WIN!

TAILS YOU LOSE!

The old game that Ananias played on Paul, and later that Clothiers have played on the people, is now wiped off the face of the earth.

Blair Bros.,

Whom you, your posterity and your ancestry owe a debt of gratitude for the redemption spoken of in the Holy writ of the precepts promulgated and practiced by the

12 Apostles.

"That wool is not rabbit's hair" and you (meaning clothiers) shall not sell it as such--That Blair Bros., whom we know to be honest, fair and courteous, shall from now on forever sell unto you all Clothing, Hats and Shirts--shall outfit and dress you and your offspring, except the ladies, they reserving the right to dress themselves, but the men and boys shall go to Blair Bros. and buy, pay your cash and be decent.

We say unto you go to



BLAIR BROS.

FOR CLOTHING.

A NEW METHOD.

The Presbyterians Discussing One for Evangelistic Work.

The synod of Missouri, of the Presbyterian church, will convene in Marshall Tuesday, October 10. This will be an important meeting, as the matter of the evangelistic work of the state will come up for thorough discussion, with a view to adopting a new method. Notwithstanding the dull times, this church has made good strides in the work and much has been accomplished. Six evangelists have been employed during the year. The opening sermon will be preached Tuesday, by the retiring moderator, Rev. D. A. W. Milster, of Independence, Mo.

We Are Strictly In It.

We want every one in Sedalia to know that we do meet anybody's prices in car load lots for hard or soft coal. We have sold since May 1st, 1893, 200 car loads. Telephone 26.

THE STANLEY COAL CO.

The Public Library.

Workmen have about completed the additional room to be devoted to library purposes in the basement of the court house. The floor is of concrete, the walls and ceiling finished in white, and two pairs double doors put in the outer wall. A concrete walk leads from the main walk to the entrance to the new room.

Bank and Record Broken.

From the Marshall Democrat-News.
The St. Clair county bank at Osceola, Mo., broke all records in its failure Monday. Its liabilities were \$225,000, while its available assets were but \$1,600. There were evidently some Napoleons of finance connected therewith.

Do you wish the best? If so the DEMOCRAT will suit you.

A Sedalian Branching Out.

T. Mercurio, of Sedalia, will probably engage in the fruit business here if he can secure a store room. Rooms that are not occupied are extremely scarce in this city. Mr. Mercurio has a wholesale house in Sedalia.—Jefferson City Tribune.

Mr. Morey's Improvements.

Mr. A. P. Morey is having an extensive addition made to his residence at the corner of Ninth and Ohio streets. A second story is being added to the rear section, and a handsome alcove addition on the Ninth street side.

THE EQUITABLE

Loan and Investment Ass'n's.

Combined Capital Stock, \$4,000,000.

PRINCIPAL OFFICE:

401 LAMINE STREET,

Sedalia, Missouri.

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The Milwaukee Beer is the finest beer in the city. Recommended by the best medical experts for its tonic properties. Families supplied on short notice. Orders by Telephone promptly attended to. The finest Whiskies, Wines and Cigars in stock, at the very lowest rates, Wholesale or retail. A fine bar in connection, where all the best drinks are served in the best style.

GIVE US A CALL.

1200 East Third Street. Telephone 58.

W. T. HUTCHINSON, President.

WM. H. POWELL, Jr., Cashier.

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G. CRAWFORD, Asst. Cashier.

—No. 1971.

Citizens' National Bank,

SEDALIA, MISSOURI. (Established 1872.)

Cash Capital, paid in, \$100,000.00.

Surplus fund, 35,000.00.

A general banking business transacted. Collections receive prompt attention

Liberal accommodations to depositors.

DIRECTORS: W. H. Powell, S. P. Johns, J. D. Crawford, M. Doherty, S. H. Beiler

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THIRD NATIONAL BANK.

SEDALIA, MISSOURI.

JOHN N. DALBY, Pres't.

A. P. MOREY, Vice Pres't.

R. H. MOSES, Cashier

W. H. VAN WAGNER, Asst.

Capital, \$100,000. Surplus and Undiv'd Profits, \$30,000.

THIS BANK DOES A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS AND SOLICITS THE ACCOUNTS OF corporations, firms and individuals. DIRECTORS—James Glass, Morris Harter, John N. Dalby, J. H. Merz, Herman Kahrs, R. H. Moses, N. H. Gentry, C. E. Messerly, Henry Manken, A. P. Morry, Charles W. McAninch, F. E. Hoffman, Judge William Bocker, D. W. McClure and Samuel C. Gold.

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Bank of Commerce,

OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI.

Northeast Corner Ohio and Second Streets.

CAPITAL STOCK, Paid Up, \$100,000.

TRANSACTS a general banking business. We solicit accounts of Farmers, Merchants, Corporations and Individuals, promising a safe depository for all funds committed to our charge. We are prepared to extend liberal accommodations to the trade, including the Farmers and Live Stock dealers in Pettis county.

DIRECTORS.—John J. Yeater, Frank B. Meyer, W. E. Bard, W. P. Haley, L. H. Durley, A. M. Reed, J. W. Perdue, J. L. Warren, D. H. Orear, J. C. Beedy, Edward Hurley, W. S. Baker, Adam Ittel.

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JOHN J. YEATER,

A FIGHT IN RATES.

PACKING HOUSE STUFF CAUSING A CUT.

The Missouri, Kansas and Texas Takes a Hand—Local Railroad Notes.

The reduced tariffs announced by the Missouri, Kansas and Texas on packing house products from St. Louis to Texas common points and the reduced tariffs on machinery, furniture, baking powder, etc., announced by the Southern Pacific via New Orleans to Texas common points from St. Louis will take effect October 11 and 12. These tariffs will be met by all competing lines. The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific now comes to the front with a cut rate of fifty cents on mineral waters from Colorado to Texas common points. The regular rate is seventy-two cents. The St. Louis southwestern lines will all meet this rate from St. Louis. There may not be much mineral water to move, but the Rock Island will not have a monopoly on the rate.

Have a Conference.

A telegram of yesterday's date from Galveston says that Vice President Purdy, of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, General Traffic Manager Miller, General Superintendent Allen and Chief Engineer Wilson arrived there in a special train that morning and spent the day conferring with merchants and shippers. In the afternoon Traffic Manager Miller announced that the "Katy" had decided to meet the reduced tariffs on shipments to the interior put into effect on Monday by the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe. This is simply an abolition of the differential of 5c and 10c per 100 pounds between Galveston and Houston. The reduction takes effect at once.

Regarding the Rail.

M., K. & T. train No. 2 was forty-five minutes late this morning, No. 3 being twenty-five minutes behind time.

Joe Roe and Jim Mercer, foremen of the Missouri Pacific roundhouses, went to Kansas City yesterday, to see the Priests of Pallas parade.

John Rodman and Will Trautman, clerks in the office of General Yardmaster Dan Goff, saw the Priests of Pallas parade at Kansas City last night.

The second section of Missouri Pacific train No. 8, bearing those who had witnessed the Priests of Pallas parade at Kansas City, returned at 3 o'clock this morning.

An accident on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, near Marshalltown, Iowa, yesterday, was caused by Engineer William Truesdale, of the extra, falling asleep just after blowing the whistle for Ferguson, having been overworked till he was utterly exhausted. His fireman reversed the engine, but too late to avert the disaster. Truesdale was severely cut about the head and face by being thrown headlong through the cab window. He immediately tendered his resignation. The other trainmen escaped injury. An extra ran into a freight at a water tank.

Exciting Runaway.

George Cliff, a hack driver, had a narrow escape from being seriously hurt last night. He was driving his hack and on making the turn off of Second and Osage streets, the front wheel struck the curb, throwing him off his seat on to the tongue between the horses, which ran to Ohio street, where Cliff fell to the ground only slightly injured. The team ran south on Ohio street at a break-neck speed, but was found this morning standing at the corner of Seventh and Vermont streets, still attached to the hack, which was not injured or broken in any way.

Prof. Niel.

government chemist, writes: I have carefully analyzed your "Royal Ruby Port wine," bought by me in the open market, and certify that I found the same absolutely pure and well aged. This wine is especially recommended for its health-restoring and building up properties; it strengthens the weak and restores lost vitality; particularly adapted for convalescents, the aged, nursing mothers and those reduced and weakened by over-work and worry. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby;" \$1 per quart bottles, pints 60 cts. Sold by A. S. McGowan.

Main Street Paving.

White Bros., contractors for the paving of Main street, from Washington to Moniteau, expect to finish the East Third street contract in about two weeks, when they will put a strong force of men on the Main street job.

Mayor Stevens has been unable

BANKRUPT!

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The Entire Stock, formerly JACOBS BROS., has been purchased by the ST. LOUIS CLOTHING COMPANY AT LESS THAN 50 Cents on the Dollar of Invoice Price!

This Entire Stock, consisting of Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Hats and Caps and Trunks, is now being MARKED DOWN and Will be Ready For Sale on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7TH!!

Sale Begins at 9 O'clock.

Anyone taking advantage of this sale will find Goods at Less than One-Half of Retail Values.

This sale will last Fifteen Days, and goods will only be sold for the Ready Money, at

JACOBS BROS.' STORE!

215 OHIO STREET. 215

to see the property owners east of Washington avenue, to secure a waiver of the alleged informality in the publication of the resolution, but hoped to do so soon, when that contract might be let to Messrs. White.

Nothing new has developed in the tangle on West Main, from Moniteau to Grand avenue, where the contractors allege defect in the ordinance or resolution providing for the paving.

Taken Ill at Warrensburg.

Mrs. James Morrison, the wife of a former brakeman on the Lexington branch, was summoned by telegram this morning to the bedside of her husband, who was taken suddenly and dangerously ill while on a visit to his father at Warrensburg. She left on the early train. Mr. Morrison has been sick a long time, and small hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Sedalia School of Music.

This institution opened its fall term September 4th, 1893. Instruction given in piano, organ, guitar and voice culture, with a thorough systematic course of study, and a faculty of experience and efficiency. For particulars call and see the director,

LIZZIE LEE WARREN,
218 West Seventh street.

For Sale or Exchange.

Desirable residence property in Fairfield, Mo., for Sedalia property. For further particulars see Dr. Snyder at the court house, Senator E. H. Richardson or E. G. Cassidy.

Attention Geo. R. Smith Post, No. 53.
The comrades will assemble at the post room promptly at 1 o'clock p. m., Friday, to attend in a body the funeral of our late comrade, Wm. Weise. T. P. BERRY, Post Com.

Butcher Boys Fight.

There was a convention of butcher boys at an Ohio street meat shop last night, which resulted in a row and a fight. One of the participants had his hand hurt in the melee, and blood flowed freely for a moment.

McAllister Black Sulphur water, fresh Bottled at 112 Osage street. FRANK KRUGER, Manager.

Baby Ill.

Ethel, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ottosen, 1001 South Massachusetts, is ill, but is not considered dangerously so.

PREPARING TO MOVE.

The Elks Will Take Possession of Their New Hall in Two or Three Weeks.

Sedalia lodge, Elks, held an interesting meeting, in the west hall in the Cassidy building, and initiated Will Cloney into the mysteries of the order.

The completion of the lodge's new hall in the Smith & Cotton building, 109 Ohio street, was discussed, and several committees appointed. One on finance, another on arrangements, a third to select carpets and furniture. The style of wood for the furniture was not determined.

The interior finish of the rooms will be of gum wood, finished in oil. The rooms were designed especially for lodge purposes, and will be convenient for the use of the Elks. The lodge expects to occupy them in two or three weeks.

Telegraph Line Completed.

Hugh McCormick and a gang of ten men reached Sedalia last night, having just completed a line of telegraph to connect the Missouri, Kansas and Eastern with the Missouri, Kansas and Texas system, and a message was sent direct from Sedalia to St. Charles, the present eastern terminus of the M., K. & E.

"Americante" cigars are the best.

Building Burned.

The one story frame building at Moniteau and Pacific streets, owned by J. F. M. Counce, and occupied by Patsy Williams and Emma Smith, colored women, was partially destroyed by fire at 8 o'clock last evening, from a blaze started by the overturning of a kerosene lamp. The women lost their furniture.

St. Louis Fair.

The Missouri Pacific will sell tickets Sept. 30th to Oct. 7th good until Oct. 10th for return at rate of \$5.65. One way rate same dates \$3.75.

H. L. BERRY, Ticket Agent.

For Disturbing the Peace.

William Bird and John Hamilton were taken before Justice Fisher this morning and pleaded guilty to the charge of disturbing the peace by shooting off revolvers on the public highway. They were fined \$1 each and costs. Both were taken to jail.

Police Court.

There was only one prisoner before the police recorder this morning.

ing. He answered to the name of Allan W. Smith, and pleaded guilty to keeping late hours. He was fined \$10 and given a stay to get out of town.

Attention, You That Suffer

From any disease that your doctor cannot cure, such as chronic rheumatism, catarrh, kidney and liver troubles, and especially paralysis. This is a disease that doctors can not cure, but if you will wear Prof. W. C. Wilson's Magneto Conservative Garments and use the Actina you will get well and live. If not, you must and will die. For particulars see or address Prof. A. J. Maury. Office, 602 South Ohio street, Sedalia. Lady in attendance at all hours.

Hen Pecked.

Detective Frank Barnett is carrying his arm in a sling. About a week ago he disturbed an old setting hen, which pecked him on the back of the hand, drawing the blood. Blood poisoning set in, from the effects of which, his hand and arm are much swollen. Barnett is not afraid to tackle train robbers, but says that here after he will not tackle a setting hen.

Dexter, Sedalia, sells paper that sticks to the wall.

Priests of Pallas Parade.

Judge A. D. Fisher was a most delighted spectator of the Priests of Pallas parade in Kansas City last evening. He says the display was simply grand, and was witnessed by thousands of people.

A Forger Imprisoned.

Deputy Marshal J. P. McGowan, of Kansas City, passed through the city with a batch of prisoners for the penitentiary today, among them, J. Eichler, convicted of forgery and sentenced to five years.

The Moberly Monitor calls on the victimized wood buyer to rise against the "scalawags in Randolph county who claim to be wood dealers" and who give short measure and mean wood.

K. of P. Notice.

QUEEN CITY LODGE, No. 52, will meet in regular convention to-night at 7:30 o'clock in the Castle hall, corner Fifth and Ohio streets, for work in the rank of Page. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.

JOHN CASHMAN, C. C.
R. G. FITZPATRICK, K. of R. & S.

J. West at the Capital.

Dispatches to the morning papers note the presence in Washington of Col. J. West Goodwin, of Sedalia.

No Annanias Racket in Ours.

We don't advertise to carry "the biggest stock in America" or more goods than any other music house in Mo. We don't advertise fool fraud or funny business in that way or in any other way. If you want to be humbugged, if you want to be gulled, don't come and see us, give the C. M. M. H. a wide berth. But if you want the best music your money will buy, the best terms your credit can command and real square plumb-bob perpendicular business, then don't miss us. You can't afford to do it, see! We have the piano you want, the organ you will take, the fiddle, banjo, guitar and the other musical goods that you must have, and if you call for the best and latest popular music, we can suit you, at

SHARP'S C. M. M. H.,
112 East Fifth street.

The Celebrated French Cure,

Warranted to cure "APHRODITINE" or money refunded.
IS SOLD ON A POSITIVE GUARANTEE to cure any form of nervous disease or any disorder of the generative organs of either sex, whether arising from the excessive use of stimulants, AFTER tobacco or Opium, or through youthful indiscretion over indulgence, &c., such as Loss of Brain Power, Weakness, Bearing down pains in the back, Seminal Weakness, Hysteria, Nervous Prostration, Nocturnal Emissions, Leucorrhoea, Discharge, Weak Memory, Loss of Power and Impotence, which if neglected often lead to premature old age and insanity. Price \$1.00 a box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. Sent by mail on receipt of price.
A WRITTEN GUARANTEE is given for every \$5.00 order received, to refund the money if a permanent cure is not effected. We have thousands of testimonials from old and young, of both sexes, who have been permanently cured by the use of Aphroditine. Circular free. Address THE APHRODITINE MEDICINE CO., Western Branch, Box 27, Portland, Ore.

Sold by OVERSTREET PHARMACEUTICAL Co. Sedalia, Mo.

J. D. SHOOK. HOUSE PAINTING.
Paper Hanging and Graining.
ALL WORK GUARANTEED.
Cor. Third & Osage Sts., Sedalia, Mo.

Bids For City Printing.

Notice is hereby given that the city council of the city of Sedalia, Missouri, will receive and consider bids for the city printing of said city for the ensuing year.

All bids shall be based on the requirements of the blank form of contract for city printing, now on file in the office of the city clerk, which, when filled out, shall be the contract for said printing for the ensuing year.

All bids shall be filed with the city clerk in his office, not later than 5 o'clock p. m., Monday, October 16, 1903.

A bond of \$500.00 will be required of the party awarded the contract.

The city council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

ED. HOUGH, City Clerk

ODONTUNDER!

A newly invented local anæsthetic for the painless extraction of teeth. This is not inhaled, but applied to the gums, the patient entirely conscious, but feeling no pain. Dr. Crow has bought the exclusive right of Sedalia, and is using ODONTUNDER from ten to fifteen times a day. Hundreds of testimonials. No danger, no pain, no sickness.

S. S. CROW,
Dentist,

Rooms 205 & 206 Hoffman Building, corner 5th and Ohio. Take Elevator.

Conservatory of Music, 403 East Fifth Street, — SEDALIA, — MO.

Best instruction in all departments of Musical Study—Piano, Organ, Violin, Clarinet, Mandolin and all Orchestral Instruments; Voice Culture, Choral Singing. Languages: German and French. Opens SEPT. 6th, 1893. Commencement Exercises June 12th, '94. Send for Catalogues.

SCHUPPE & LENZEN.

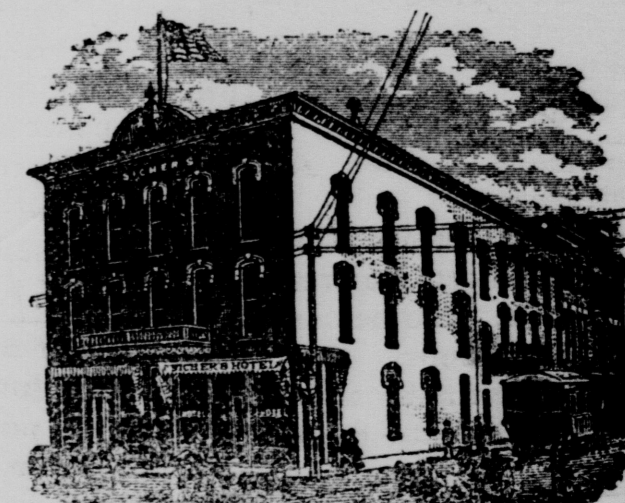
It is your own fault when you disgust those around you with the fumes of a bad cigar. Avoid this by smoking.

O'BRIEN'S AMERICANITE

HAVANA CIGARS.
JAMES O'BRIEN, MANUFACTURER, KANSAS CITY, MO.

SICHER'S HOTEL

The Largest and Best Appointed Hotel in the City.



Large, airy, well ventilated rooms. The best Two Dollar a Day Hotel in Central Missouri.

Table Unsurpassed! Corner Ohio & Third Sts. **Sicher & Conrad, Props.**

\$50,000. -:- \$50,000.

People's Bank

404 Ohio St. Paid Up Cap'l \$50,000
Surplus 2,500
SEDALIA. Undivided Profits 1,000

The only bank in Sedalia with a Savings Department. Interest paid on all savings deposits.

COUNTY DEPOSITORY.

Transacts a general banking business. Your account solicited. After October 1st this Bank will not remain open Railroad pay-day evenings and Saturday nights.

W. L. PORTER, J. C. VAN RIVER,
President. Cashier.

Sedalia Democrat.

WEATHER REPORT

For the 24 Hours Ending 2 O'Clock
This Afternoon by C. G.
Taylor.

Cloudiness in tenths.	Temperature Max. Min.	Precipitation in inches.
8	54 50	0.00

Barometer 28.83.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wall paper at McClellan's.

W. B. M. Cook.
Attorney at law, 207 Ohio street,
Sedalia, Mo.Buy your tickets to the World's
fair via the Missouri Pacific and
avoid a six mile transfer in Chi-
cago.BUDWEISER BEER ON
DRAUGHT,
112 Osage, Frank Krueger
Manager.A Hannibal man hopes by mort-
gaging his household goods to raise
a fund to take him to the World's
fair.Smoke the "Lone Tree" cigar,
the best 5 cent cigar in the city.
Manufactured by C. Honkomp.

Wanted.

To rent, two furnished rooms
suitable for light housekeeping.
Address N. M., this office.

For Rent.

Furnished or unfurnished rooms
over Equitable building, corner
Fourth and Lamine. Call at office
of association.Smoke the National Golden Rod,
the best 10c cigar in the city. Man-
ufactured by C. Honkomp, 112
East Second street.The Butler Record has a sub-
scriber whose always paid-up subscrip-
tion began in 1866 and extends to
1894.Buy your tickets to the World's
fair via the Missouri Pacific and
avoid a six mile transfer in Chi-
cago.

Smoke "Americanite" cigars.

C. W. Simmons,
(Late with Farnham & Collins),
has opened up at 107 East Sixth
street. He is doing a general repair
business in the furniture line.
Telephone Brill's grocery store.Friends of Pallas Parade,
Kansas City. The Missouri Pacific
will sell tickets October 4th, 5th
and 6th, good until October 7th for
return, at rate of \$2.85.H. L. BERRY,
Ticket Agent.

For Sale.

Forty-five acre farm well improv-
ed, fair house and barn, good
orchard, (156 bearing trees) good
spring and well. Land in good
state of cultivation. Will sell very
cheap and on easy terms, as I need
some money. Call on or address
C. D. WALES,
205 East Main street.It is believed that but one man
from Carthage secured a claim in
the Cherokee strip and that claim is
contested.

Roll Ten Pins.

The bowling alley at Forest park
is now open. Go out in the even-
ing and have a game. Last car
leaves the park for the city at
10:30 p. m.LIQUORS AND WINES,
112 Osage, Frank Krueger,
Manager."John," said his wife, "what are
you doing?" "Figuring," he re-
plied. "Figuring on what?" "On
which we can better afford to do;
buy coal or use the parlor furniture
for fuel."—Washington Star.Ask Your Furniture Dealer for
MattressesMade by the Sedalia Mattress Co.,
and you will get the best mattress
ever put up in Sedalia. To be con-
vinced is simply to examine their
goods. For special orders call at
factory, 403 Lamine street, oppo-
site court house.The rector—"Did you ever hear
of the theory that people will have
the same vocations in the next
world as they had in this?" The
widow—"I don't believe my hus-
band will. He was an ice dealer."
—Truth.

\$20,000

WORTH OF NEW, NOBBY
AND STYLISH

FALL GOODS

To be placed on sale this, the first week in October, at heretofore unheard of low prices. New Cloaks, New Dress Goods, New House Furnishings, New Cassimeres, New Blankets, New Comforts, all, remember, at special low rates.

The goods were received too late in the week to be properly classified in to-day's issue of the Democrat, but they will be placed on sale tomorrow morning and at prices to please. In the meantime keep your bargain eye open for our "ad" in

Next Sunday's Democrat.

Information will be imparted that will cause the eyes of the oldest Bargain Hunters to protrude with delight. Prices will be quoted that will be the means of throwing our mammoth place of business as it has never been thronged before. Standing room will be above par, and the great sale will be the talk of the town for a year to come.

FRANK B. MEYER & BRO.,
Grand Central!
304 and 306 Ohio St., SEDALIA, MO.

P. S.—Our place of business closes at 6 p. m. except Saturdays and R. R. pay-days.

PERSONAL.

Col. Musick is down from Hughes-
ville today.Thomas B. Wright was a guest at
Sicher's last night.E. F. Myers was in the city this
morning, from Nevada.Lon Van Wagner and wife left
last night for the World's fair.Lawyer James Montgomery went
to Kansas City yesterday afternoon.Charles W. Parent was up from
Otterville last night, a guest at
Kaiser's.W. E. Bard and wife attended
the Priest of Pallas ball at Kansas
City last night.Mayor Stevens and R. D. Thatch-
er went to Osceola this morning, on
a mule buying expedition.Miss Sarah Ward went to Kansas
City yesterday afternoon to spend
a few days visiting friends.Ed Adams, of the fire department,
saw the sights in the metropolis at
the mouth of the Kaw last night.Mrs. Ashworth, who has been vis-
iting her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Lamb,
at St. Louis, for a few days, re-
turned home this morning.Oliver Duck, who formerly kept
the railroad eating house at Jeffers-
on City, was in town this morning,
on his way to St. Louis.Coby Bloch witnessed the Priest's
of Pallas parade at Kansas City last
night. There was an immense
crowd, and he enjoyed the sights.Judge and Mrs. J. N. Dalby went
to Kansas City yesterday afternoon,
as the guests of their son George,
whose twenty-first birthday anni-
versary it was.Dr. Fuller and family, and Mrs.
M. J. Hudson, of Wichita, Kan.,
are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Wm.
Williams, three and one-half miles
east of the city.Mrs. Sherman, of Monroe City,
and Mrs. Coffman, of Hannibal,
delegates to the W. C. T. U. con-
vention, are guests of Mrs. C. C.
McDaniels, on East Fifth street.Louis Hausel, a pioneer citizen
of Stockton, California, accom-
panied by his wife and daughter,
are in the city, the guests of Mr.
Adam Ittel and family. Mr. Hausel
and family have just returned from
a pleasure trip to the Old World.Miss Mary Smith, of Lamonte,
who has been visiting her cousin,
Mrs. Archie Hannefeld, returned
home yesterday afternoon, accom-
panied by Mrs. Archie Hannefeld,
who will remain away a few days.Mrs. Russell McRorey, who has
been the guest of relatives here for
some weeks, returned to her home
at Trinidad, Col., this morning, ac-
companied by her sister, Miss Lillie
Coney. They will be met at Den-
ver tomorrow by Russell McRorey,
the agent at Trinidad.

A Saloon Keeper's Suit.

OTTAWA, Ill., Oct. 5.—Ambrose
Betting, a Leland saloonist, who
was recently beaten in all the courts
under the Reddick law in a suit for
damages for the death of a man
killed after drinking in his place,
brought suit against the State
Liquor Dealers' association for
breach of contract. He claims the
suit cost him \$5000, which the as-
sociation agreed to pay, but has
not paid, while the association says
he misrepresented the case and has
already paid \$3000 for him.

Time of Meeting Changed.

The time for the meeting of the
G. A. R. post Friday has been
changed from 1 p. m. to 9 a. m.
The change was made after the no-
tice elsewhere in this issue had been
printed.The Wyaconda, Clark county,
News was not issued the first week
in October. The editor and his
wife went to the World's fair.

CIRCUIT COURT

Cases Finally Disposed of at Today's
Session.James M. Evans vs. Jonathan
Evans; special judgment against
the attached party for \$575.70.James P. Allen vs. Rebecca J.
Hatton, et al.; judgment for plain-
tiff for \$522.C. E. Byler, assignee of Paul
Bechtner, vs. James R. Wasson;
judgment for \$533.00.New Home Sewing Machine Co.
vs. A. B. Dempsey; judgment for
plaintiff for \$4,735.James O'Brien vs. J. L. Bird;
judgment for plaintiff for \$409.81.James A. Halley vs. James
Brownfield et al; interlocutory
judgment by default against James
Brownfield.City of Sedalia to use of C. Monk-
house vs. Mary Johnson et al.;
judgment for plaintiff for \$55.21.

Real Estate Sales.

Elizabeth Salisbury sold to George
W. Carroll lot 159, block L, La-
monte, for \$500.James Woodward to Chas. Gotts-
chack, 45x128 feet in section 9,
township 45, range 21, West Seda-
lia, \$150.Frank A. Fitch and wife to John
W. Baldwin, 45 feet off the east
side of lot 4, in block 16, in Smith
& Martin's first addition to Seda-
lia, for \$1,000.John A. Riley and wife to Eliza-
beth C. Riley lots 7, 8 and 9 in block
3, of George R. Smith's addition to
Sedalia, for \$4,000.E. J. Smith, trustee for Robert
Riley, to Elizabeth C. Riley, Lottie
E. Hayes and Hattie M. Riley, a
part of the northeast quarter of the
northeast quarter of section 4, town-
ship 46, range 31, also part of
southeast quarter of the southeast
quarter in section 33, township 44,
range 21, for \$455, and other prop-
erty for \$155, the total being \$610.

County Court.

County court was in session again
today, but down to the hour of the
noon adjournment, the only business
transacted was the disposal of three
tax compromise cases. The court
will adjourn for the term this after-
noon.

A Good Ornament

for the store is the customers who
frequent it. When you want your
prescriptions filled at reasonable
prices, by competent pharmacists,
go to Brook's West Side pharmacy,
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This is in reply to many kindly inquiries as to
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PURITY, FRESHNESS AND CHEAPNESS!

We aim to make all new customers per-
manent, and we are pleased to say that we
have many who have been our customers for
years. All orders will receive careful atten-
tion and prompt delivery to any part of city.CHAS. HOFFMAN
& BROTHER.

TELEPHONE 178.

MISS NEWCOMB HERE

SHE ENTERTAINS THE W. C. T. U.
CONVENTION.

SECOND DAY'S SESSION.

Larger Attendance and Increased
Interest in the Work of the La-
dies—Two Minutes Talks.More delegates have arrived to
attend the W. C. T. U. state con-
vention, and at this morning's ses-
sion the auditorium of the Christian
church contained three or four hun-
dred delegates and spectators. The
interest has grown with the num-
bers, and the exercises and ad-
dresses are warmly received.Miss Lydia J. Newcomb, of
Michigan, one of the best known
workers in the cause, arrived last
evening, and has delivered two ad-
dresses already, one at the Wednes-
day evening session, on "Physical
Culture and Its Relation to the
Temperance Cause," and the other
at 11 o'clock this forenoon, on
"Relaxation." She is conversant
with both subjects, and is interest-
ingly listened to and at time heartily
applauded.Devotional exercises were con-
ducted this morning by Rev. R. R.
Marquis, who said it is our duty to
do the work until some one is found
who can do it better.After the reading and the adop-
tion of the minutes, "The Problem
of Membership" was discussed in
two minute talks. Mrs. Kays, of
Memphis, suggested that speakers
should be used to present the work
to outsiders. Personal invitations
should be extended, and work found
for all.Mrs. Ida Burr, of Princeton,
favored education—familiarity with
the work. The papers of the union,
the Union Signal and the Home
Guard, should be read.Mrs. Maud Allen, of Bethany,
saw no surer way than individual
work among friends.Miss Wood, of Maryville, favored
parlor socials and receptions, and
Mrs. Hays said new members should
be frequently visited and assisted
by the older members.Mrs. Lon Coffman, Hannibal:
"To gain others, show your own
interest and enthusiasm."Such talks were made by Mrs.
Millie Lewis, of Winfield; Mrs.
Hannah Bond, of Fayette; Mrs.
Hawley, of Kansas City, who said,
"Diagnose the disease of your
friends, and apply the remedy;"
Mrs. Lena Mummert, of DeSoto;
Mrs. Golladay, of Holden; Mrs.
Neva Thomas, of Springfield; Mrs.
Wood, of Mount Vernon; Miss
Carrie Lee Carter, of Dexter, who
said that all suggestions made had
been good and that young ladies
could be enlisted by circulating litera-
ture among the Y. P. S. C. E. so-
cieties and other organizations; and
Mrs. Rebecca Hall, of Carthage.Mrs. Neva Thomas, of Spring-
field, spoke of "Scientific Temper-
ance Instruction." She said she
believed in practical things. "We
received the banner because our
text book commission adopted three
of our text books. Two are now in
use. In the Springfield schools
scientific temperance is taught in
every room."Mrs. Wisker addressed the con-
vention on the Home Guard, and
showed the importance of an of-
ficial organ. The Home Guard
should be read through aloud as
part of the first meeting's exerciseafter the paper's publication.
Bright reports and news items
should be sent in.Miss Newcomb's address on
"Relaxation" was one of the best
so far heard. She showed how to
secure perfect rest, using a chair to
illustrate sitting easily and com-
fortably. "We work too hurriedly,
and there is much wasted effort.
Relaxation is the remedy. For a
little time do absolutely nothing."The devotional hour was con-
ducted by Miss Lillian Wood.The evening's program includes
an address by Mrs. Mary T. La-
throp, president of the Michigan
W. C. T. U.At last night's meeting devotional
exercises were conducted by Dr.
William Jones. Rev. J. S. Myers
delivered an address of welcome in
behalf of the ministers of the city;
Mrs. E. E. Clark in behalf of the
W. C. T. U. and Rev. Ryland in
behalf of the Y. P. S. C. E.Mrs. A. A. Hawley, of Kansas
City, responded in behalf of the W.
C. T. U.

TOMORROW'S PROGRAM.

9:30, prayer.—Rev. Mr. Steven-
son.Report of credential committee.
Suggestions to workers.—Work
among colored people.—Mrs. M. F.
Pitts.Unfermented wine.—Mrs. F. New-
ton.Miners and lumbermen.—Miss
Alice Kirkpatrick.10:30—Report of finance com-
mittee.

11:00—Election of officers.

11:30—Bible reading, Mrs. Ira
Lewis.

AFTERNOON.

2:00—prayer.—Rev. Mr. Jump.

Report of committee on resolu-
tions.Talk by Miss Lydia J. Newcomb,
"How to Walk."Problem of membership—two
minutes talk by vice presidents.Suggestions to workers, parlor
meetings.—Mrs. Belle Kimball.State and county fairs.—Mrs. L.
N. Guild.Franchise.—Mrs. Virginia G.
Hedges.Temperance literature.—Miss El-
len D. Morris.Presenting our cause.—Mrs. Alice
Williams.

EVENING.

7:30—devotions.—Rev. Mr.
Cronce.

Gold medal contest.

No Change of Time.

The transportation committee of
the German Day celebration made an
effort today to secure such a change
of time in the running of the train on
the narrow gauge as would give the
people along the line of that
road a chance to see the celebra-
tion, but at 2 o'clock this afternoon
had been unable to do so. The
mail contract precludes the possi-
bility of a change of time, the of-
ficials of the road say.Rates Lower Than Ever, via the Mis-
souri Pacific Railway.On October 6th, 7th and 8th, the
Missouri Pacific railway will sell
tickets to St. Louis and return,
from all points, at 20 per cent. less
than one fare for the round trip.
This is one of the greatest conces-
sions in the reduction of rates ever
offered to St. Louis and it is ex-
pected that it will be taken advan-
tage of by a great many people.
Tickets will be on sale the above
dates from all points on the line
with the exception of Pueblo, where
sale will be authorized on the 6th
and 7th only, limited good for re-
turn until October 18th, with the
exception of stations within 150 or
200 miles of St. Louis, where the
final limit will be October 15th.H. C. TOWNSEND,
G. P. & T. A., St. Louis.A Lehigh Valley coal engine cut
a Crane Iron company engine in
two near Easton, Pa., Tuesday. A
dozen coal cars were wrecked and
all travel blocked. The collision
was due to Watchman Thomas Blas
giving a wrong signal. After the
accident, Blas went home and shot
himself. John Ray, fireman on the
Crane Iron company engine, died
of injuries received and Engineer
Herbert James will be a cripple for
life.

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Gents' half soles, tacks or pegs, 50
and 65 cents; sewed, 90 cents;
ladies' sewed soles, 65 cents; tacks,
45 cents. A. F. Rogers' boot and
shoe shop, corner Third and Massa-
chusetts streets.Poker Jim of Dead Man's Gulch
was at church for the first time in
his life. "What's the ante?" he in-
quired in a whisper, leaning forward
as the contribution basket came
around to him.—Chicago Tribune.

THE PROOF



Moquet Caapets	\$1.00 per yd.
Body Baussels	90c " "
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fabrics within the confines of
neatness in design, to which
we must strictly adhere for
correctness; and either chev-
lots or unfinished worsteds in
material for business wear.Our cash principles enable
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prices, worthy of the consid-
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suits fit well, wear well and
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Before it is too late.
Did you ever see the like
In this great time,
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And send them out in rhyme.
So don't forget R. H. Harris,
When you start out to engage
Your coal, wood and feed,
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C. L. TAYLOR, Secretary.Gold medal contest Friday night
at the Christian church. The boys
and girls between the ages of 35 and
80 are to participate. Everybody
come. Admission, 25 cents; chil-
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